

cc
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
 WASHINGTON, D. C.

SUPPLEMENTAL REGISTRATION STATEMENT

*Pursuant to Section 2 of the Foreign Agents
 Registration Act of 1938, as Amended*

REGISTRATION No. 616

For Six Months Period Ending Feb. 28, 1954
 (Insert date)

1. (a) Name of Registrant.

GERMAN TOURIST INFORMATION OFFICE

(b) All other names used by Registrant during the period.

None

(c) Address of principal office.

500 Fifth Ave., New York 36, NY

(d) Name of person or persons in charge of principal office.

Hans J. Baumann, Actg. Director

3. If Registrant is a nonbusiness membership organization, state—

(a) Approximate number of members in the United Statesnot applicable.....

(b) Approximate number of members outside the United Statesnone.....

4. (a) All persons who became partners, officers, directors, and similar officials of Registrant during the period.

<i>Name and address of official</i>	<i>Date connection began</i>	<i>Position, office, or nature of duties</i>
Claus Born 5540 Kenwood Ave., Chicago, Ill.	12-1-53	Asst. Manager Chicago Branch
Willy S. Kronheimer 830 Hyde St., San Francisco, Cal.	2-3-54	Asst. Manager San Francisco Branch

(b) All persons who ceased to be partners, officers, directors, or similar officials of Registrant during the period.

<i>Name and address of official</i>	<i>Date connection ended</i>	<i>Reason for ending connection</i>
Karl A. Baumann Betzenweg 40 Munich, Germany	11-16-53	ill health

5. (a) All branches and local units of Registrant and all other component or affiliated groups or organizations which began to operate during the period.

*Name and address of branch, unit,
group, or organization*

*Nature of connection with
Registrant*

*Name and address of person
in charge*

None

- (b) All branches and local units of Registrant and all other component or affiliated groups or organizations which ceased to operate during the period.

Name of branch, unit, group, or organization

Reason operations ceased

None

6. All persons who at any time during the period were foreign principals of Registrant.

*Name and principal
address*

*Is person still a foreign principal
of Registrant?*

*If not, give date connection
ended*

German Tourist Association
Beethovenstrasse 69
Frankfurt, Germany

yes

7. Describe fully all activities of Registrant during the period for or in the interests of each foreign principal named under item 6.

Promotion of travel to Germany; free distribution of travel folders and posters.

Placing of news releases in the american press. Free information to the travel industry and general public.

8. Describe briefly all other businesses, occupations, and public activities in which Registrant engaged during the period.

None

9. Furnish the following information as to all employees and other individuals except those named under item 4, who during the period rendered any services or assistance to Registrant, with or without compensation, for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6:

(a) All such employees and other individuals for whom Exhibits A have previously been filed.

<i>Name and address of employee or other individual</i>	<i>Nature of any changes during period in activities for Registrant or its foreign principals</i>	<i>Has connection with Registrant ended?</i>
Hans J. Baumann 243 West End Ave., New York, NY	became acting director . New York office	no
Hans Engel 80 Holly Place, Larchmont, NY	none	no
Ralph C. Warren 536 Leavenworth St., San Francisco, Cal.	none	no
Klaus Stemmler RR 31, Box 444C, Park Ridge, Ill.	none	no

(b) All such employees and other individuals for whom Exhibits A have not been previously filed.

<i>Name and address of employee or other individual</i>	<i>Nature of services or assistance rendered</i>	<i>Has connection with Registrant ended?</i>
Ruth Aldendorff 34-30, 78. St., Jackson Heights, NY	secretary	no
Anneliese Mungai 2031, 28. St., Astoria, L.I., NY	secretary	no
Frieda Sipinick 2055 Grand Concourse, Bronx, NY	secretary	no
Benjamin Banks 1867 Seventh Ave., NYC	clerk	no
Renata Marchetti 2958 Octavia St., San Francisco, Cal.	clerk	no
Ursula Dyer 1329, 45. Ave., San Francisco, Cal.	secretary	no

Ruth Euler Frankfurt, Germany	secretary	yes
Gabriele Prialgaukas 4629 N. Dover St., Chicago, Ill.	secretary	no
Merry Paarmann 629 W. Briar Place, Chicago, Ill.	clerk	no

10. Furnish the following information as to Registrant's receipts and expenditures during the period covered by this statement. The information may, if Registrant desires, be furnished for Registrant's latest semiannual fiscal period, provided the period covered is indicated and future statements are furnished on the same basis:

(a) All amounts received during the period directly or indirectly from each foreign principal named under item 6, itemized as follows:

period Sept. 1, 1953 - Feb. 28, 1954

<i>Date funds received</i>	<i>Name of foreign principal from whom funds received¹</i>	<i>Purposes for which received²</i>	<i>Amount received³</i>
10-14-53	German Tourist Association	office operation	\$ 30,000.00
11- 5-53	"	"	4,037.50
1-5-54	"	advertising	25,000.00
2-11-54	"	"	32,400.00
2-11-54	"	office operation	<u>28,516.96</u>
			\$ 119,954.46

(b) All amounts received during the period from other sources to be used directly or indirectly for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6, itemized as follows: ¹

period Sept. 1, 1953 - Feb. 28, 1954

<i>Date funds received</i>	<i>Name of person from whom received¹</i>	<i>Purposes for which received²</i>	<i>Amount received³</i>
9-4-53	ASTA Members	tour registration	\$ 1015.55*
9-30-53	"	"	437.50*
11-13-53	Hensel, Bruckmann & Lorb.	freight refund	50.50
1-4-54	Bavarian Tourist Assn.	payment f. translat.	73.00
2-25-54	Hensel, Bruckmann & Lorb.	freight refund	<u>30.75</u>
			\$ 1607.30

*amounts later deducted from transfer of operating fund from home office

(c) All expenditures made during the period directly or indirectly for or in the interests of each foreign principal named under item 6, itemized as follows: ⁴

period Sept. 1, 1953 - Feb. 28, 1954

<i>Date payment was made</i>	<i>Name of person to whom payment was made¹</i>	<i>Purposes for which payment was made²</i>	<i>Amount of payment³</i>
9-1-53		salaries	\$ 36,951.01
		advertising & publ. rel.	51,727.61
to		general office overhead	31,684.94
		refunds ASTA tours	<u>350.95</u>
2-28-54			\$ 120,714.51

¹ Include all amounts so received, whether received as compensation, loans, contributions, subscriptions, fees, dues, subsidies, or otherwise.

² Receipts from or payments to a person amounting to less than \$200 for the period may be combined with other like amounts, provided the source or disposition of the funds, as the case may be, is clearly indicated.

³ Where funds were received or paid, as the case may be, for various purposes, such purposes shall be listed in reasonable detail.

⁴ Show separately the amount received or paid, as the case may be, for each purpose listed under the preceding column.

⁵ Include all transfers of funds to any foreign principal.

11. (a) Speeches, lectures, talks, and radio broadcasts arranged or sponsored by Registrant or delivered by officials or employees of Registrant, during the period.

<i>Name of person by whom delivered</i>	<i>Number of speeches, lectures, and talks delivered</i>	<i>Number of radio broadcasts delivered</i>
Hans J. Baumann	2	3
Klaus Stemmler	6	4
Ralph C. Warren	-	6

- (b) Publications prepared or distributed by Registrant, or by others for Registrant, or in the preparation or distribution of which Registrant rendered any services or assistance, during the period. (Indicate each type of publication by an "X.")

(1) Press releases <u>X</u>	(8) Circulars <u>X</u>	(15) Lantern slides <u>X</u>
(2) News bulletins <u>X</u>	(9) Form letters <u>X</u>	(16) Still pictures <u>0</u>
(3) Newspapers <u>0</u>	(10) Reprints <u>X</u>	(17) Posters <u>X</u>
(4) Articles <u>X</u>	(11) Copies of speeches, lectures, talks, or radio broadcasts <u>0</u>	(18) Photographs <u>X</u>
(5) Books <u>0</u>	(12) Radio programs <u>0</u>	(19) Charts <u>X</u>
(6) Magazines <u>X</u>	(13) Radio scripts <u>X</u>	(20) Maps <u>X</u>
(7) Pamphlets <u>X</u>	(14) Moving pictures <u>X</u>	(21) Other publications <u>0</u>

- (c) Preparation and distribution of publications referred to in answer to (b) above.

<i>Description of publication</i>	<i>By whom written, edited, or prepared</i>	<i>By whom printed, produced, or published</i>	<i>By whom distributed</i>
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see statement

- (d) Compliance with the filing, labeling, and reporting provisions of Section 4 of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, and Rule 400 thereunder.

- (1) Were copies or summaries of all communications and publications referred to in answer to (a) and (b) above filed with the Department of Justice and the Librarian of Congress? If not, explain why copies or summaries of any such communications and publications were not filed.

see statement

- (2) Were all such communications and publications labeled in accordance with Section 4 and Rule 400? If not, explain why any such communications and publications were not so labeled.

yes

- (3) Were reports of the delivery, distribution, or other dissemination of all such communications and publications made to the Department of Justice in accordance with Section 4 and Rule 400? If not, explain why any such reports were omitted.

see statement

12. (a) Any changes during the period, not fully described above, in Registrant's affiliations, associations, or other connections with foreign governments, foreign political parties, or officials or agencies thereof.

*Name of government, party, or official,
or agency thereof*

*Nature of changes during period in Registrant's
connections therewith*

none

- (b) Any changes during the period in Registrant's pecuniary interest in or control over partnerships, corporations, associations, or other organizations or combinations of individuals.

*Name of organization or
combination*

*Nature of changes during period in
Registrant's ownership or other
pecuniary interest*

*Nature of changes during period in any
direction or control exercised
by Registrant*

none

13. (a) Any changes during the period in the ownership of or supervision, direction or control over Registrant by any organization, group, or individual.

*Name of organization, group,
or individual*

*Nature of changes during period in ownership,
supervision, direction, or control*

none

- (b) Any subsidy or other financial assistance received by Registrant during the period directly or indirectly from—

Any individual who is a citizen of, or resides in, a foreign country.

Any organization created in, or under the laws of, any foreign country or having its principal place of business in a foreign country.

Any foreign government or foreign political party, or any official or agency thereof.

*Name of person from whom subsidy or
financial assistance received*

*Nature and amount of subsidy or
financial assistance*

no

14. File the following exhibits with this statement:

Exhibit A.—File an Exhibit A, on the printed form provided therefor, for each of the following persons for whom an Exhibit A has not previously been filed:

- (a) All partners, officers, directors, and similar officials of Registrant.
- (b) All employees or other individuals who during the period rendered any services or assistance to Registrant, with or without compensation, for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6.

Exhibit B.—File a copy of any changes during the period in the agreement, arrangement, or authorization (or if not in writing a written description thereof) pursuant to which Registrant is acting for, or receiving funds from, each foreign principal named under item 6.

Exhibit C.—File an Exhibit C, on the printed form provided therefor, for each foreign principal named under item 6 for whom an Exhibit C has not previously been filed.

Exhibit D.—If Registrant is a nonbusiness organization, file a copy of any changes during the period in its charter, constitution, bylaws, or other instruments of organization.

Exhibit E.—File a copy of the agreement or arrangement (or if not in writing, a written description thereof) between the Registrant and each business firm or other organization named under item 11 (c), and copies of all changes during the period in similar contracts previously filed.

The undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) that he has (they have) read the information set forth in this statement and the attached exhibits and that he is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in Exhibit A insofar as such information is not within his (their) personal knowledge.

(Type or print name under each signature)

Hans J. Baumann
 (Signature)
 Hans J. Baumann

(Both copies of this statement shall be signed and sworn to before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths, by a majority of those partners, officers, directors, or persons performing similar functions who are in the United States. If no such person is in the United States, the statement shall be signed and sworn to by the duly authorized representative of the Registrant.)

(Signature)

(Signature)

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at

New York

this

24th

day of

March

, 19*54*

Sylvester Salzer
 (Signature of notary or other officer)

My commission expires

March 30th

, 19*54*

Renew to March 30, 1956

NOTARY PUBLIC
 Q. J. SALZER
 N. Y. Notary Public
 Kings Co. City of New York
 Term Expires March 30, 1954



GERMAN TOURIST INFORMATION OFFICE

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STATEMENT

During the period from August 28th, 1953 to February 28th, 1954 the German Tourist Information Office distributed copies of 2 300 different pamphlets, brochures, posters, magazines, press releases, circulars, time tables, hotel guides and photographs to travel agents, transportation companies, news papers, trade papers and the general public. All this material, with the exception of the press releases and circulars was prepared and printed in Germany. The press releases and circulars were prepared, printed and distributed by Stephen Goerl Associates, Advertising, 48 East 43rd Street, New York 17, N.Y., which firm handles our publicity.

The sole purpose of all the material distributed was to promote and further travel to Germany and to acquaint the traveler with transportation facilities and general conditions in Germany.

None of the material contained any political view-points or was intended to influence the recipient in any political directions.

Duplicate copies of the several press releases and travel pointers are hereto attached. In addition there are numerous travel posters, time tables, circulars and hotel guides, which if required will be furnished.

GERMAN TOURIST INFORMATION OFFICE

Hans F. Baia
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